

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
WESTERN DIVISION**

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE
COMMISSION,**

Plaintiff,

vs.

**RICHARD JONATHAN EDEN, an
individual,**

Defendant,

and

**EDEN&HILE, INC., a private
California corporation,**

Relief Defendant

Case No.: 2:22-cv-04833-DOC-JPR

Hon. David O. Carter

**FINAL JUDGMENT AS TO
DEFENDANT EDEN&HILE, INC.**

1 The Securities and Exchange Commission having filed a Complaint and
2 Relief Defendant Eden&Hile, Inc. (“Defendant”) having entered a general
3 appearance, consented to the Court’s jurisdiction over Defendant and the subject
4 matter of this action, consented to entry of this Final Judgment without admitting
5 or denying the allegations of the Complaint (except as to jurisdiction and except as
6 otherwise provided herein); waived findings of fact and conclusions of law; and
7 waived any right to appeal from this Final Judgment:
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9 **I.**

10 IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED
11 that Defendant is liable for disgorgement of \$303,000.00, representing net profits
12 gained as a result of the conduct alleged in the Complaint, together with
13 prejudgment interest thereon in the amount of \$15,498.45. Defendant shall satisfy
14 this obligation by paying \$318,498.45 to the Securities and Exchange Commission
15 within 30 days after entry of this Final Judgment.

16 Defendant operated ultimately as a “pass through” of its ill-gotten gain for
17 the benefit of its co-Defendant, Richard Jonathan Eden. Therefore, any amount up
18 to and including the \$318,498.45 that Defendant Richard Jonathan Eden is ordered
19 to pay in disgorgement (and in fact does pay), should offset the amount by which
20 Defendant Eden&Hile, Inc. is obligated to pay pursuant to this judgment.

21 Defendant may transmit payment electronically to the Commission, which
22 will provide detailed ACH transfer/Fedwire instructions upon request. Payment
23 may also be made directly from a bank account via Pay.gov through the SEC
24 website at <http://www.sec.gov/about/offices/ofm.htm>. Defendant may also pay by
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1 certified check, bank cashier's check, or United States postal money order payable
2 to the Securities and Exchange Commission, which shall be delivered or mailed to
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4 Enterprise Services Center
5 Accounts Receivable Branch
6 6500 South MacArthur Boulevard
7 Oklahoma City, OK 73169
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9 and shall be accompanied by a letter identifying the case title, civil action number,
10 and name of this Court; Eden&Hile, Inc. as a defendant in this action; and
11 specifying that payment is made pursuant to this Final Judgment.

12 Defendant shall simultaneously transmit photocopies of evidence of payment and
13 case identifying information to the Commission's counsel in this action. By
14 making this payment, Defendant relinquishes all legal and equitable right, title, and
15 interest in such funds and no part of the funds shall be returned to Defendant.

16 The Commission may enforce the Court's judgment for disgorgement and
17 prejudgment interest by using all collection procedures authorized by law,
18 including, but not limited to, moving for civil contempt at any time after 30 days
19 following entry of this Final Judgment.

20 Defendant shall pay post judgment interest on any amounts due after 30 days
21 of the entry of this Final Judgment pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1961. The Commission
22 shall hold the funds, together with any interest and income earned thereon
23 (collectively, the "Fund"), pending further order of the Court.

24 The Commission may propose a plan to distribute the Fund subject to the
25 Court's approval. Such a plan may provide that the Fund shall be distributed
26 pursuant to the Fair Fund provisions of Section 308(a) of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act
27 of 2002. The Court shall retain jurisdiction over the administration of any
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1 distribution of the Fund and the Fund may only be disbursed pursuant to an Order
2 of the Court.

3 **II.**

4 IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED
5 that this Court shall retain jurisdiction of this matter for the purposes of enforcing
6 the terms of this judgment.

7 **III.**

8 There being no just reason for delay, pursuant to Rule 54(b) of the Federal
9 Rules of Civil Procedure, the Clerk is ordered to enter this judgment forthwith and
10 without further notice.

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12 Dated: January 9, 2023

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DAVID O. CARTER
16 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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